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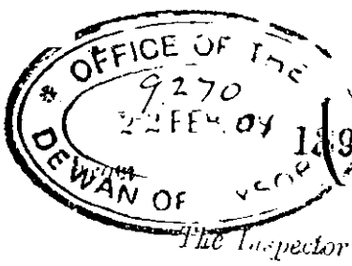


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*The Inspector General of Police*
*in Mysor*

*To*

*The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,*
*General and Revenue Depts.*

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*Dated*

*Despatched* 21 Feb 1901

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*General No.* 2875/319

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Forwarding Police Administration Report for 1899-1900.

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYS

No. 2875 Dated. Bangalore 21. Dec 6...1

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Police Administration

Report for 1899-1900

FROM

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,
GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith the Police Administration Report of the Mysore State for the official year 1899-1900. The Annual Statements which are printed as Appendicies to the Report have been forwarded to the Government Press for being printed on 5/11/1900.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Inspector General of Police.

draft submitted for approval.

SECTION Police

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SERIAL No. 2

To

The Superintendent,
Govt Press.

No. 1151/J 1205 Dt:
Date: 1-3-01.

Has the honor to forward herewith a manuscript copy of the Report on the Administration of the Police Department in the state for the year 1899-1900, and to request that 150 Copies of the same be printed and six interleaved copies forwarded to this office as soon as possible, the proofs in the first instance being sent to the D.G. of Police for approval.

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The Superintendent is also requested to print as appendices to the above reports the statements which it is stated to have been forwarded by the D.C. Sir 5-11-1900.

Approved & sent to the Press. D.G. direct to the Supdt. T.O

By order,
for Secy

Copy forwarded to the IG of Police for information.

No. 4512/J1206 dt 1-3-

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From THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVT. PRINTING IN MYSORE.

SECTION Police

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SER'AL No. 3

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore
General and Revenue Depttts.

Dated 11th May 1901.

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General No. 991.
No.

Enclosure No.

In reply to Secretary's No. 15119 / T 1499 dated 10th (received this day) and with reference to No. 11511 T. 1205 dated 1st March has the honor to state that the Superintendent is unable to fix a date for the completion of the printing of the Police Administration Report for the year 1899-190 Proofs of Report (body) sent to department on 12th Apr have only been returned in part this day, with request for further proof - the state

x Remainder destroyed

Statements for the Report were completed printing in January 1901, and as none of the text of Report, which has been passed have been printed. There has been no delay in the Press.

W. Thomas

Superintendent,

Govt. Pg. in Mysore

FILE No.—

SERIAL No. 4

The Dy. of Police.

No. 10-5-01 / 1529 Enquiry
Date: 21st May 1901

Has the honor to forwa
herewith for information and
necessary action a copy of letter
No. 991 of the 11th instt,
from the Superintendent
Govt Press reporting the
delay in the Inspector General
Office in returning the proofs
of the Police Administration
Report for the year 1899-1900
and to request that steps may
taken to avoid unnecessary
delay. have
the Report in
question for note and return.

R. O.
15.5.01
For Secy

SECTION Police

Re-d:-
FILE No. 87 (1)

SER. II No. 5

Report on the administration of Police in Mysore for the official year 1899-1900 received with letter No.2875/319 dated 21st February 1901 from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

Note. The cause of delay in ~~Dewan~~ Receiving this Report, vide Press Subdt's letter of 4th May 1901 & our order No 15501 dt 21.5.01.

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Order thereon, No. 16321-9 / J 1428

Paras 1 & 2 of the Report.

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Put it Review & Rept Submitted for approved -

To the Dewan. 12/9/1901

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Paras 44, 46, 56 & 58.

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to the Police Budget) from Rs 899371 to Rs 922914.

11/9.01

Secretary.

To

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

" Deputy Commissioners of District

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1901-1902

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

JUDICIAL

*Dated 5th April 1902*

No. 16321-9
J. 1428

Let me see.
Kindly please
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Send up
Home

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...ministration of Police in Mysore for the official year 18... with letter No. 2875—319, dated 21st February 190..., from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

No. 16321-9—J. 1428, DATED BANGALORE, 5TH APRIL 1902.

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H. V. NANJUNDAYYA,
*Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Exd.—J.T.R.